

## PERSONALS

Mr. Joe Davis motored to Charlotte Tuesday.

Mr. J. U. Bell made a business trip to Rock Hill Thursday.

Mr. D. E. Walters was a caller at The News office Friday.

Miss Louise Wylie left today for Riverhook College at Wick, N. Y.

Mr. T. R. Thompson of Van Wyck was a business visitor in the city today.

Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Sapp of New Bethel were shopping in Lancaster Thursday.

Mr. J. Edgar Poag of Charlotte, N. C., was a business visitor in Lancaster Wednesday.

Dr. S. L. Allen, Max G. Brittain and W. J. Cunningham motored to Charlotte Tuesday.

Messrs. R. S. Stewart and Mark Johnson made a business trip to Cheraw Wednesday.

Mr. J. T. Hough, who is attending Clemson College, is at home for a few days with relatives.

Mr. J. T. Wylie has returned from Greenville where he has been serving as a United States juror.

Dr. S. H. Ezzell of Waxhaw community was shaking hands with his many friends in Lancaster today.

Mrs. J. L. Perry went to Chester Thursday morning to attend the funeral of her brother, Mr. Cunningham.

Mrs. Geo. Heath and children of Charlotte arrived Wednesday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Davis.

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Poag will be pleased to learn that the condition of their son, Master James Poag, is much improved.

Mr. J. Boyd of the North Lancaster section was a business visitor in the city Wednesday. While here he gave The News a very pleasant call.

Mrs. S. C. Craig has returned from Rock Hill where she has been visiting for several days. She has resumed her position with the J. T. Wylie Co.

Messrs. Max Brittain, L. C. Payseur and D. A. Williams and Dr. James Henry Thayer motored to Beaver Creek church Thursday to attend the Moriah Association.

**U. D. C. CHAPTER MEETING.**  
The U. D. C. held a very interesting meeting with Mrs. E. T. Hodges Thursday afternoon, an unusually large number being present.

After regular routine of work, the chapter proceeded to elect delegates to the General Convention which convenes in Dallas, Texas. Mrs. W. H. Millen and Mrs. Mary McDow were elected. Alternates, Mrs. E. T. Hodges and Mrs. Joe Knight. To the State Convention to meet in Union November 20-23, the following delegates were elected: Mrs. M. E. McCordell and Mrs. W. E. Taylor. Alternates, Mrs. Annie Hughes and Mrs. R. B. Mackey.

The impressive U. D. C. ritual was read and the literary program was next in order.

"Personal Reminiscences of the War Between the States," Mrs. Jennie Hughes.

"Faithfulness of Slaves," Miss Annie Witherspoon.

"Reminiscences of a Soldier's Daughter," written by Mrs. Alice Billings Ford, read by Mrs. L. D. Robinson.

"Real Experiences During War Time," first series, written by Mr. Jimmie Crenshaw, read by Mrs. W. E. Taylor.

Mrs. L. D. Robinson had on exhibition Caroline Buregard, a doll owned by Mrs. Ford during the war. This caused quite a discussion.

Miss Annie Witherspoon made a motion that the chapter give the hostess a rising vote of thanks for her faithfulness and loyalty to the cause during her short association with the chapter.

The hostess, assisted by Miss Bryan, served a tempting sweet course.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.  
Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE.  
Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1916.  
A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.  
(Seal)  
Hall's Catarrh Medicine is taken internally and acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. Send for testimonials, free.  
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.  
Sold by all druggists, etc.  
Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

## SHORT NEWS

PRICE OF COTTON.

Today at noon, Friday, Oct. 6th, cotton selling at 17 cents per pound. Cotton seed at 89 cts. per bushel—\$53.32 per ton. Mr. Farmer: When you bring your cotton and cotton seed to town for sale, don't sell to the first man who makes you an offer, but on the other hand call upon all the buyers and let them all have a chance to bid on same. You will, in this way, be sure to get the top price for your products.

Hirsch's store will be closed tomorrow on account of Jewish holiday.

Quite a number of young ladies motored from Heath Springs last evening to attend the Lyceum number at the opera house.

The lyceum number was enjoyed by a fair size crowd at the opera house last evening. The program was especially good.

Mr. M. P. Sullivan has accepted a position with M. Pollakoff dry goods company. He will be pleased to have his many friends call and see him.

The friends of Mrs. D. Reese Williams will regret to learn that it became necessary to carry her to Pryor's Hospital in Chester Thursday for treatment.

The News has been advised that the death of Mr. J. B. Cunningham occurred in Chester Wednesday afternoon. He was a brother of Mrs. L. J. Perry of this city.

Mr. A. T. Walters of Charleston will celebrate his eightieth birthday at the home of Mr. W. M. Carnes October 15th. Everybody cordially invited to come and bring well filled baskets.

Mr. J. Q. Adams of the Flint Ridge section was a caller at The News office today. He says that great preparations are now under way to make the Flint Ridge community fair a success.

Mr. A. H. Blanton of Rock Hill, representing the Prudential Insurance Company of Newark, N. J., was a business visitor in Lancaster Wednesday. He reports business very good.

The annual Flower Show will be given by the Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian church October 24 and 25. A full resume of the affair will appear in Thursday's issue of The News.

Mrs. Edith L. Parrott, State Agent South Carolina Home Demonstration work, was in Lancaster on business Wednesday. She reports the work progressing very nicely the State over, especially so in Lancaster county.

Mr. O. H. Bell of the Dry Creek community was a caller at The News office Wednesday. He will move to the Stogner farm one mile east of Lancaster, about Christmas in order to educate his children in the Lancaster schools.

The next Lyceum number will appear Tuesday, October 24, and the committee desires to impress the necessity of attendance in order to make the undertaking a financial success. Don't forget the date. The program will be a splendid one.

Miss Hattie Payseur, who until recently held a responsible business position in Asheville, was married to Mr. C. A. Thompson Sunday, September 24. Mr. Thompson is claim agent for the Southern Railway. They will make their home in Macon, Ga.

The annual meeting of the Lancaster Bible Society will convene in the First Baptist church Sabbath evening at 7:30 o'clock. The program will consist of three ten minute talks on subjects appropriate for the occasion. Be sure to attend this very important meeting and bring an offering with you.

## DEATH OF MRS. HAMMOND.

The death of Mrs. Henry Hammond occurred Wednesday night at her home in this city. Prior to her marriage she was Miss Minnie Byrd, daughter of Mrs. W. L. Byrd. She was a member of the Baptist church. Funeral services were conducted by the Rev. Mr. Strickland, and interment took place in the Westside cemetery Thursday afternoon. She is survived by her mother, Mrs. W. L. Byrd, her husband, Mr. Henry Hammond, one brother, Fred Byrd and two sisters, Mrs. Tom Harper and Mrs. Ernest Stogner.

## SOCIAL NEWS

## Hamel-Magill.

"Would you be surprised if you saw a bride in a Winthrop uniform coat suit, taking her wedding trip on a train bound for Rock Hill September the nineteenth? Grace Hamel was the bride, and she had on a veil, too—a little white hat with a pretty blue veil around it—and she looked as beautiful as they make brides.

The marriage was a complete surprise to everyone except the bride's sister, an intimate friend, and of course, Miss Hamel and Mr. Boyd Magill. These four motored from Kershaw to Lancaster, where the ceremony was very quietly performed. They then boarded the train to escort Grace's little freshman sister to Winthrop, and after the news got out we had one exciting time. Needless to say, the new couple received very unusual congratulations, such as, "I don't believe a word of it." "Going to Winthrop for a honeymoon?" etc. However, now that the surprise of it all is over, we extend to Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Magill, our heartfelt good wishes for a very happy life in their new "model home" in Ridgeway."—Winthrop Weekly News.

## WINTHROP COLLEGE DOING A GREAT WORK

Lancaster County Well Represented at This Splendid Educational Institution.

There is no doubt in the minds of those who have given the subject of education in the South serious consideration that Winthrop College is numbered among the leading educational institutions of its particular kind to be found in the country over.

The great work this institution is doing for the girls of South Carolina, as well as from many other States, under the competent direction of its beloved president, Dr. D. B. Johnson, and his able corps of assistants, cannot be estimated in dollars and cents; in fact, the significance of the work and the far reaching influence for good through its thorough courses of teaching, can hardly be conceived by any not personally familiar with the broad plane on which the school is conducted.

In connection with the above it is a pleasing knowledge to know that Lancaster county is fully represented in this great educational institution. Among the thousand and fourteen girls enrolled, from the forty-five counties in the State, as well as from many points outside, Lancaster county is represented with twenty, being our full percentage based on an average to each county the State over.

The following young ladies are enrolled from Lancaster county:

Miss Pauline Jones Marion, Lancaster.  
Miss Perry Bell Bennett, Lancaster.  
Miss Ruth McDow, Lancaster.  
Miss Naomi Derrick, Lancaster.  
Miss Mary Lindsay, Lancaster.  
Miss Juanita Sowell, Lancaster.  
Miss Jessie Ferguson, Lancaster.  
Miss Mary Kirk, Lancaster.  
Miss Beulah Porter, Lancaster.  
Miss Lallage Cauthen, Lancaster.  
Miss Louise Sapp, Lancaster.  
Miss Mary Blackwell, Kershaw.  
Miss Matilda Floyd, Kershaw.  
Miss Edith Brasington, Kershaw.  
Miss Louise Hamel, Kershaw.  
Miss Ruth Stogner, Kershaw.  
Miss Nannie Blackmon, Kershaw.  
Miss Eufaula Blackmon, Kershaw.  
Miss Ethel Cook, Kershaw.  
Miss Georgia Cook, Kershaw.  
Miss Mary Brown VanLandingham, Heath Springs.

There may be others of whom we have no record.

## A SAD ACCIDENT.

Late Tuesday afternoon a little colored boy, Lee Billings by name, who is about 12 years of age, in some manner permitted his left hand to be caught in the sausage grinder of the Catawba Meat Market which resulted in crushing it so badly until it had to be amputated. He was not employed to operate the mill but to deliver packages.

The operation of the machinery seemed to fascinate him at all times, (he being of a mechanical disposition), so much so until he had been positively forbidden by Mr. Glascock, the proprietor, to enter the room in which the grinding is done. Tuesday afternoon, however, he gained access to the room through a side window, unknown to Mr. Glascock, and the severe accident followed. Though the pain must have been very excruciating, yet, it is said, he did not utter a sound.

When the accident is viewed from the human side of life, one cannot but feel sad for the little fellow. Even though he is merely a little colored boy and perhaps penniless and friendless to a certain extent, yet when we take into consideration his

## M. S. WITHERSPOON DEAD.

Beloved Citizen in Life's Prime, Passes This Morning.

After a brief illness, all too brief for his friends to realize its serious nature, Mr. Marion Sims Witherspoon passed away at his residence on Main street this morning at half past six. He has suffered a steady decline in health for several months and considerable concern was felt by those nearest to him but it was only a week ago that his condition became alarming. The gloom cast over the community when our people learned of his passing comes from sincere sorrow, for Marion Witherspoon was a friend of many and a citizen any community could ill afford to lose. His genial nature made friends whom his character held, and his loyalty to those who enjoyed his friendship was a distinguishing trait. Optimistic, persevering and possessed of business ability beyond the ordinary, he succeeded in whatever he undertook.

Mr. Witherspoon was a man of broad sympathy and understanding. His mind was quick to grasp a situation, even as his ability was strong to execute. He gave close attention to the details of all business in which he was engaged, commanding the respect and esteem of all his business associates. Socially he was very lovable, possessed of a personality at once attractive and steadfast. He was honest, sincere, capable, a man whose every impulse was generous and true. Descended from a long line of distinguished ancestors, Mr. Witherspoon inherited many of those noble qualities which have stamped his race for generations and won for them places of trust and authority.

The Witherspoons were prominent among the pioneer families who settled this county to which they have always rendered valuable service. The subject of this sketch was the third son of the late Capt. Bartlett Jones Witherspoon of revered memory, and the lamented Mary Stevens Witherspoon, daughter of the late William Stevens, both of whom predeceased him many years. He was born December 26, 1876, and was therefore in his fortieth year. Mr. Witherspoon was named for the renowned surgeon, Dr. J. Marion Sims, who visited this, his native county, for the last time when Mr. Witherspoon was an infant of only a few weeks. The wife of Dr. Sims was a great aunt of the deceased. After spending his boyhood in attendance upon the local school, he completed his education at the University of South Carolina where he was widely popular. After leaving college he came home and went into the insurance business with his father which business he continued up to the time of his death. He subsequently came to hold responsible positions of trust with the Lancaster Cotton Oil Company and the Catawba Fertilizer Company with both of which he has been associated for a number of years.

Mr. Witherspoon was married November 11, 1903, to Miss Linnie Roberts Kammer of Gadsden, S. C., by whom he is survived with four children, viz: two daughters, Elizabeth Stevens and Mary Donnon Witherspoon, and two sons, Marion Sims and Bartlett Jones Witherspoon, Jr. Mr. Witherspoon also leaves one brother, Dr. B. J. Witherspoon of Charlotte, and two sisters, Mrs. J. K. Hall of Lillington, N. C., and Mrs. J. T. Young of Richburg.

The funeral services will be held at 11 o'clock tomorrow, Saturday, at his late residence and will be conducted by his pastor, Rev. Hugh R. Murchison, of the Presbyterian church, of which church he had been a member from boyhood and which he served as an active member of the board of deacons. The interment will be in Westside cemetery.

The sympathy of hundreds of friends and kindred is extended to the grief stricken family.

## "GRAND MID-WINTER FESTIVAL BALL."

Among the many social attractions to be held in the city of Lancaster during Fair Week is that of the "Grand Mid-Winter Festival Ball" and Buffet Supper to be held in the Mackey Hall Friday Nov. 24th under the auspices of The Lancaster German Club.

The hall will be elaborately decorated and music for the occasion will be in the hands of the best orchestra in the Southern States. The affair throughout will be formal and invitations will be extended in a few days. The Festival bids fair to be a great success and a record breaking crowd will be in Lancaster for the occasion from all over Virginia, the two Carolinas and Georgia.

extreme youth, and the fact that he must now on all through life endeavor to earn his living with one hand only, it is then the case presents its pathetic side. Boys should be very careful when working near operating machinery.

## BASE BALL

WORLD SERIES BEGINS SATURDAY.

We will Furnish The Score by Innings Come and See.

Another Big Event Begins With Us.

## OUR TOOTH BRUSH SALE.

Any 25c Brush and any 25c Box Paste, Powders or Liquid for 40c

Any 10c Brush and any 25c Box Paste, Powders 30c

We Have a Brush to fit every Mouth. Very Important for School Children.

Ask Your Dentist

Ask Your School Teacher.

## LANCASTER PHARMACY

## SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY AND MONDAY.

One lot of sample dresses consisting of charmeuse, messaline and serge. No two alike and all the very newest make and colors. Any dress in the lot worth \$15.00. Your choice of these handsome dresses . . . \$9.50

Very fine French serge dresses in the new plated effects—splendid dresses for stylish stree wear. Navy, Green, Black and Brown. An excellent \$10.00 value—special for Saturday . . . \$7.98

One lot of guaranteed all wool serge suits, fine satin lining and best workmanship. Some fur trimmed others strictly tailored. All the best colors. An excellent \$15.00 leader—special for Saturday . . . \$11.75

Ladies fine Chiffon Broadcloth coats, full 54 inches long, satin lined and splendidly made. Worth \$15.00—special . . . \$10.75

We have just received 50 sample coats consisting of fine wool velours, plushes, tweeds, plaids, and novelty mixtures. Every garment is a beauty and New York's latest production. We intend to make a noise with these coats as the style and price is sure to interest every woman. Remember we have all sizes from 16 years to 50 bust. Prices \$6.50, \$10.00, \$15.00, \$19.50, \$25.00 and up to \$45.00.

## MILLINERY.

For Saturday and Monday we will offer unusual values. We have received big express shipments of high class pattern hats all that is new and stylish will be found in these lots. We feel confident in saying we have a hat that will be stylish and becoming to every age woman. Moderately priced at \$3.50 and \$4.50

## CHILDREN'S HATS.

We have taken special pains to provide for the little folks needs and have a well assorted stock of up-to-date children's hats \$1.00 to \$1.50

## INFANTS CAPS.

We spacialize on this line and have a dainty selection of embroidered and ribbon trimmed infants white caps, 25c to \$1.50.

## ROBINSON-CLOUD CO. LANCASTER'S LEADING STORE.